Figure 2 represents an embodiment of the apparatus comprising a solid support 1 above several regularly spaced illuminant sources 2 on a circular support 4 and two cameras 3, 3' placed above the solid support.

Figure 3 represents an embodiment of the apparatus comprising a solid support 1, above several regularly spaced illuminant sources 2 on a circular support 4 and a single camera 3 placed above the solid support.

Figure 4 represents an embodiment of the apparatus comprising two regularly spaced illuminant sources 2, 2', each on a circular support 4, 4'. The first set of sources 2 is placed above the solid support 1 and the second set of sources 2' is placed below the solid support. Both sets of illuminant sources are symmetrical to the solid support and a camera 3 is placed above the first illuminant source set.

Figure 5 represents an embodiment of the apparatus comprising a solid support 1 above the illuminant sources 2 which may or may not be regularly spaced from each other on a circular support 4. The camera 3 is placed above the solid support.

Figure 6 represents the camera 3 above the first illuminant source 2 on a circular support 4 as described in Figure 4. Both the camera and the illuminant source are above the solid support 1.

Figure 7 represents an embodiment of the apparatus comprising several regularly spaced illuminant sources 2 on a circular support below the solid support 1. Above the solid support are three cameras 3, 3', 3" in a triangular arrangement.

<u>IN THE ABSTRACT</u>

Please replace the paragraph on page 29, beginning at line 7 through line 25, with the following rewritten paragraph:

The present invention is related to a method for the identification and/or the quantification of a target compound obtained from a sample, preferably a biological sample, comprising the steps of putting into contact the target compound with a capture molecule in order to allow a specific binding between the target compound with a capture molecule, the capture molecule being fixed upon a surface of a solid support according to an array comprising a density of at least 20 discrete regions per cm^2, each of the discrete regions being fixed with one species